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Upcoming Events

- **November** - Native American History Month.
- **November 24** - Talent Show, Kiehle Auditorium 6:30 p.m., Sponsored by BLAST
- **November 25** - Women’s & Men’s Basketball 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. vs. Mayville State University
- **November 25** - Thanksgiving Meal, Noon, Brown Dining (Chancellor Burton will be giving a toast)
- **November 27 & 28** - Holiday, No Classes - Offices Closed
- **December 1** - World Aids Day
- **December 1** - Magnificent Monday’s Aids Presentation”, Nancy Fahrenwald, Noon, Brown A & B
- **December 1** - Men’s Basketball vs Minnesota Morris, 7:30 p.m.
- **December 3** - Holidays Around the World, Eagles Nest, 8 p.m. Sponsored by the Multicultural Club
- **December 4 through 7** - Crookston Community Theater Play “Nuncrackers”
- **December 5** - Ag Activities Day
- **December 5** - Winter Wonderland, Downtown Crookston, 5-9 p.m.
- **December 5** - Light Up the Mall

Talent Show November 24

BLAST and Diversity Services will host a Talent Show on Monday, November 24, starting at 6:30 p.m. in Kiehle Auditorium. Admission is free with UCard ID or $1 for the general public. Twenty acts are scheduled to take part in the event. Attend this event and take part in promoting diversity on the UMC campus.

Photo Contest for UMC Students

A photo contest for UMC students will be taking place December 1 - 5. The guidelines for the contest are as follows: Photo size must be 5X7 or larger, your name, UMC box number, and phone number should be attached to the back, and no more that three entries per person. The photos can be entered in one of these categories - Nature, Animals, UMC School Spirit, UMC Campus Shots, Portrait or Open Class. Top prize for Best Overall Photo is $100 gift certificate to a Crookston business or UMC Bookstore. Winners will be announced at the WOW event on December 10th. Photos should be dropped off at the Dowell Info Desk. This event is sponsored by the Dowell Info Desk and University Relations. Winning photos may be used for campus promotional purposes.

Eagles Nest Dedicated

Bob Nelson, Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs, cut the ceremonial ribbon on Wednesday, November 19, for the official grand opening of the Eagles Nest in Sahlstrom Conference Center. Regal the Golden Eagle and UMC student Baizhou Chen held the ribbon while many other students and staff looked on. The event marke the official name change of the lounge and convenience store area (formerly called Morsels and the Trojan Inn before that). Students had the opportunity to have photos taken with Regal, and special promotional items were available.

W.O.W. Event

Due to the Thanksgiving Holiday there will not be a WOW event on Wednesday, November 26

What if there was snow on the ground? Question of the Week.
Question of the Week

How would you be spending your free time right now if we had a lot of snow?

Allison Stone
“Whipping donuts and skiing.”

Stephanie Hemming
“Making a Snowman”

Tony Lorentz, Jen Goeller and Karen Ballou
“Nail little giggles with snowballs.”

Spring Registration Runs Through December 4

Student self-registration using the World Wide Web is available to most students. In-person registration is available to all students at the One Stop Student Service Center, 170 Owen Hall.

Eligibility for Web Self-Registration

Students must meet two criteria in order to be eligible to self-register using the web:
1. You must be an officially admitted degree-seeking student (PSEOA, Adult Special, and College in the High School students are NOT eligible), and
2. You must have a UMC cumulative GPA of at least a 2.00 or be in your first term of enrollment at UMC. All other students MUST register in-person.

All in-person registrations require adviser signature approval.

General Information for Self-registration

Registration is available on the World Wide Web using Internet Explorer or Netscape Navigator, version 4.X or higher, at your scheduled time in the registration queue - that is, the time when you will be allowed to register for classes on the Web or in person (you can register on or at any time after your time in the rotation). You can find out your scheduled registration time by logging on to the web registration site, or by referring to the printed Registration Queue in the class schedule. Web Self-registration is available Monday - Thursday from 7:00 a.m.-12:00 midnight, Friday from 7:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m., and on Saturday from 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m., except on official University holidays. In-person registration is available at the Office of the Registrar, 170 Owen Hall, 8:30 a.m.-4:15 p.m., Monday - Friday.

REGISTRATION CHECKLIST

1. Clear any “holds” at the appropriate office
2. Review the class schedule and /or use the web Course Planner to identify courses appropriate to your needs. Use the Portfolio information management tool to access your APAS report at http://portfolio.umn.edu to determine courses you need to complete to fulfill graduation requirements.
3. Complete a sample Schedule Worksheet including possible alternative courses to substitute for closed sections/courses. You can check to determine if classes are “open” or “closed” by reviewing the section status reports on-line.
4. Meet with your faculty adviser to discuss your program needs, review your course selections, and finalize your planned schedule. Make an appointment with your adviser to do this at least one-week before your scheduled registration time. Although an adviser’s signature is not required for self-registration it is strongly recommended that you consult with your adviser to insure appropriate course selections.
5. Do you need any class permission numbers?
6. Do you know the name and policy number of your hospitalization insurance company or your HMO?
7. Go to the registration web site (at http://www.crk.umn.edu/register). Sign on using your Internet ID and password (e-mail username and password).

When Can I Enroll?

Find out your registration time and date http://www.crk.umn.edu/register/register.htm. Check for Holds to see if you have any (and remember to check this link frequently as holds are added periodically).
Clubs! It’s not quite Habitat for Humanity, but it’s close...

Several student clubs and organizations have expressed disappointment that construction won’t begin on the next Habitat house until next April or May. Well, Options for Independent Living (an organization whose goal is to provide disabled citizens as normal a life as possible), has a similar need for those who feel like pounding some nails for a good cause. There are two Options clients, one in Crookston and one in Euclid (13 miles north of town on Highway 75), who need access ramps assembled that go from their front door to the sidewalk. They come in kits, and the sections need to be assembled. Options is seeking at least four volunteers to assemble a ramp, and doing so will take a full day’s work. A carpenter will be on-site to supervise. Options has recently utilized inmates from the Thief River Falls jail through the Sentence to Serve program, but the STS people are going to be doing indoor projects in the winter. This could really be a meaningful community service project for a club that has an interest in helping agencies like Habitat for Humanity.

- Who: Your club
- What: Assembling ramps
- When: To be determined by your club and Options
- Where: One in Crookston and one in Euclid
- Why: To give two disabled people access to and from their homes
- Contact: Gordon Haug at Options, 281-5722, cell 218 779-8210, email options3@rrv.net

This project is also detailed at www.volunteam.org. Click “Volunteer Opportunities” and scroll down until you see it.

CSA Elections
The CSA is currently in the process of electing 2 new senators and a secretary for Spring Semester. Applications have already been accepted so be on the lookout this week for campaigning students. These students will represent the opinions and interests of the entire student body so it is in your best interest to make sure to vote for the candidates that you think will do the best job of representing you as a student. Voting will take place Wednesday, December 3rd.

Carrie Koplin Employee of the Month at the Dowell Info Desk.

Carrie Koplin was selected as the October Employee of the Month at the Dowell Info Desk. Carrie is a dedicated worker who stays until her work is done. Carrie also assisted with a presentation at the Association of College Unions International Region 10 meeting in Vermillion, SD on November 7. Stop by the Info Desk and congratulate Carrie.

UMC Ag Activities Day Set for December 5, 2003
About 1,000 students from Minnesota, North Dakota, and Wisconsin schools are expected to participate in “Ag Activities Day,” an annual event set for Friday, December 5, 2003, and hosted by the University of Minnesota, Crookston (UMC) Center for Agriculture and Natural Resources. High school students and members of 4-H clubs and FFA chapters from across Minnesota, North Dakota, and Wisconsin are invited to compete in the following contests: consumer products, crops, dairy judging, general livestock, equine, small animals, agricultural mechanics, dairy products, farm management, wildlife, forestry, floriculture, landscaping/nursery, meats, soils, and ag salesmanship. A new contest has been added this year: Hippology, the study of horses. This new contest will involve basic horse knowledge, such as anatomy, health, diseases, and breeds.

Light up the Mall Set for December 5
The annual lighting up of the Campus Mall will take place on the evening of December 5. Clubs and organizations are reminded to have their area decorated by November 26.

Dowell Info Desk Closing at 4:30 p.m. November 26
The Dowell Info Desk will be closing at 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 26. The Dowell Info Desk will be open regular hours beginning Sunday, November 30, 2003. Regular hours are Sundays 5 - 10 p.m., Monday - Thursday 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., and Fridays from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Dining Services Thanksgiving Meal November 25
The annual Dining Services Thanksgiving meal will be held Tuesday, November 25, from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The menu will include roast turkey, baked ham, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, stuffing, dinner rolls, cranberries, and pumpkin pie. Cost is $6 plus tax. Please join the campus community in this special meal. Join Chancellor Burton at noon for a toast. Celebrity Chefs will be Doug Knowlton, Bob Nelson and Rose Koch.
Brain Teasers

This week’s winner is Brett Lysne. He knew the puzzle below to the left meant “Sunken Chest.” Brett can pick up his free movie pass at the Dowell Info Desk. This week we will start a new type of brain teaser. Can you decipher this simple old saying? For example: “Neophytes’ serendipity” would translate to “Beginner’s Luck”. “Surveillance should precede saltation” would translate to “Look before you leap.” Can you guess this week’s puzzle? If you think you know the answer send an e-mail to melonir. A winner will be chosen from the correct answers. The winner will receive a free ticket to the Grand Theatre in Crookston. Email your answer to melonir prior to noon on Wednesday, November 26th The winner’s name will appear in the December 1st Eagle’s Eye.

The stylus is more potent than the claymore.
What simple saying does the above translate to.

Online Rideshare

Students Going Home for Thanksgiving Break: UMC’s Online Rideshare website is online and ready to go. If you’re heading to Grand Forks, Fargo, the Twin Cities or as far as Florida, you can post your need for a ride (or your willingness to offer someone else a ride) at http://www.crk.umn.edu/student/RideShare/index.htm. If you’d like to hear more about the Online Rideshare website works, contact Mike Christopherson in Dowell 112 (x8526, email chris282). Check it out!

Club and Other Events on the UMC Today Page

A reminder to club advisors and other campus event planners: any campus meeting or event sponsored or co-sponsored by the University or by any officially recognized student organization can be publicized on the “UMC Today Page” <www.UMCrookston.edu/welcome.htm>. If it is a club or organization meeting, details about the meeting (time, place, etc.) should be sent to Andrew Svec at least two days before the meeting so it can be added to the calendar. If it is a larger event, such as a campus speaker or performer, and it is open to the general campus community and/or the public, please notify me at least two weeks prior to the event so I can assist in the publicity. An online form is also available at <www.UMCrookston.edu/campusinfo/calendars/addevent.htm>. Meeting notices will be posted on the UMC Today page the day they are scheduled. Any late received or same day meeting notices will be posted as soon as Andrew receives them. Larger events or performances may be listed for an entire week prior to the event. Normally, the UMC Today page is updated at about 8 a.m. daily (except weekends).

Thanksgiving Sale at UMC Bookstore ends November 26

Shop the UMC Bookstore, 109 Robertson, during the “Turkey” Clothing Sale November 17-26, 2003. Pick a feather for your discount of up to 35% off UMC “turkey” clothing. See http://webhome.crk.umn.edu/~lhier/Promotion.pdf for more information.

Classifieds

Help Wanted: Part-time position lasting for two weeks from Dec 11 to Dec 24. The position includes light janitorial & snow removal at the Crookston Public Library. Salary is $6.50/hr. The position will require about 20 hours per week. Please call Connie Bensen at 281-4522 for more information.

If you would like to include an ad in the classified section of the Eagle’s Eye email your request to melonir or drop your ad off in Dowell Hall 119. Ads will be included in the Eagle’s Eye FREE of Charge to students, faculty and staff. Ads will be included on a first come first served basis. Ads will run for two weeks if space allows. We reserve the right to reject any ads.

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